



PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY

Meeting Minutes Aug 20, 2026 5:30 PM

Joint Environmental Taskforce

Andrea Early
Chinaka Barbour
Kenny Boddye, Vice Chair
Jennifer Boeder
Jesse Gubert
Lonnie Harris
Lucas Hisghman
Leah Moore
Paige Thacker
Matthew Villareale
Julius Williams
Lisa Zargarpur

Occoquan Conference Room
McCourt Building
1 County Complex Court
Prince William, VA 22192

Present: JET Appointees – Andrea Early, Chinaka Barbour, Kenny Boddye, Jesse Gubert, Lucas Hisghman, Leah Moore, Paige Thacker, Matthew Villareale, Lisa Zargarpur

Giulia Manno – Director Office of Sustainability, Salita Gray – Administrative Specialist

Absent: Jennifer Boeder, Lonnie Harris, Julius Williams

Roll Call and Determination of Quorum: Quorum Present

Public Comment Time: None

Consent Agenda: Approved July 16, 2026 meeting minutes [VOTING RECORD: Motion L Hisghman; Second C Barbour; Ayes- By Acclimation Nays- None]

New Business:

- Approved the Annual Adoption of the Remote Participation Policy in Compliance to VA Code (VOTING RECORD: Motion: L Hisghman; Second: C Barbour; Ayes: by acclamation; Nays: none)
- L Hisghman updated on the County Public Works Solid Waste Diversion Program which includes mattress recycling RFQ, materials management and solid waste collection.

- L Hisghman provided a status update on the Prince William County groundwater resources studies.

Member Time:

- P Thacker announced the Pesticide Collection event will be held in September.
- Bobby Lin provided update that he plans to join JET in his new role in place of J Boeder, and provided the update that Risk Management is working with Facilities and Fleet Management on Smart Salt Training. Virginia Department of Environmental Quality will be doing a short social media video on the Development Service Building rain garden.
- C Barbour updated the Sustainability Commission will be moving forward with their recommendations for a strategic framework to mitigate data center impacts resolution to the Board of County Supervisors.
- A Early updated that local food procurement has moved to a biweekly delivery cycle with schools.

Departmental Reports:

- G Manno announced the Office of Sustainability will be posting the Sustainability Outreach and Engagement Manager position. Announced that the Emergency Management department kicked off the comprehensive flood plan for the county.
- J Gubert announced schools are in the planning phase for the energy and emissions reduction plan and will be hiring for two positions: Energy Systems and Control Coordinator and a Sustainability Coordinator.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:42 PM